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NEW

SCHEME

Democrats Will Hold Conference

Of Their Own Opposition to Trusts

The Day at the Chicago Meeting Spent in Harmonizing.

By Associated Press to the Journal.

Chicago, Sept. 16.—The Chronicle says: One of the immediate results of the trust conference will be the organization of a movement under Democratic auspices to call an anti-trust conference in Chicago or Cincinnati about October. Col. Bryan is said to have given it his approval. The Democratic members of the conference were in favor of it almost to a man.

The southern delegates, especially from Texas, pointed out to Bryan, the political advantages that will occur to the Democratic party if its managers could contrive to hold such a meeting. The effect upon the campaigns pending in several western states, they argued, would be good for it would serve to place the party in direct and unequivocal opposition to trusts.

Chicago, Sept. 16.—The civic federation trust conference was addressed today by Col. W. J. Bryan. The hall was packed in anticipation of Bryan's reply to Crocker on the trust question.

In beginning his address, Mr. Bryan said: "The trust question had grown in importance. Within the past two years more trusts have been organized, than we come to consider capitalization and the magnitude of interests involved, than were organized in all the previous history of our country and the people are now face to face with this question. 'Is the trust a blessing or a curse?' 'If a curse' what remedy can be applied to cure the curse?' 'I want to start with the declaration that monopoly in private hands is indefensible from any standpoint and is intolerable.'

The entire defense of trusts rests upon the money argument. If trusts will sell an article for dollar less than the article will cost under other conditions, then, in the opinion of some, that proves the trust to be a good thing. In the first place, I deny that under monopoly the price will be reduced. In the second place, if under monopoly the price is reduced, the objections to monopoly from other stand points far outweigh the financial advantage that the trust would bring.

"What is the first thing to be expected of a trust? That it will cut down expenses. What is the second? That it will raise prices. We have not had in this country yet a taste of complete trust, complete monopoly, and we cannot tell what will be the result of a complete monopoly by looking at results that have followed the attempt to secure monopoly, because the monopoly has been lowering prices in order to rid itself of competitors. But when it has rid itself of competitors, what is going to be the result?"

"All you have to know is human nature. God made men selfish. Selfishness is merely the outgrowth of the in-

stinct of self preservation. It is an abnormal development of man's desire to protect himself. 'Another thing that to my judgment has aided monopoly is high tariff. I believe the high tariff has aided trusts to collect, but I do not believe you could destroy all trusts by putting all trust-made articles on the free list.'

Speaking of the remedy against trusts Bryan said: "In the first place every state has or should have the right to create any private corporation which is conducive to the welfare of the people of that state. If they create a corporation and it becomes destructive to their best interests they can destroy that corporation."

"In the second place a state has or should have the right to prohibit any foreign corporation from doing business in the state and it ought to have the right to impose such restrictions and limitations as people of the state may think necessary upon any foreign corporation doing business in state. I believe that in addition to state remedy, there must be federal remedy."

Case Appointed Major.

Gov. Coer today the following telegram from Washington, which explains itself:

Your telegram of September 13, recommending Capt. R. E. Davis for appointment as captain in the volunteers, vice Case declined, has been received. An order issued today for the appointment of J. P. Case as major of volunteers, and of course Davis will leave no vacancy from your state.

H. C. CORBIN,
Adj. Gen.

The Oregon City Locks.

PORTLAND, Sept. 16.—A meeting of the United States engineers will be held in Portland on Monday, to consider the question of condemning the canal and locks at Oregon City, and purchasing them for the United States government.

No Sunday Shaving.

The statement that the barber shops of Salem would be kept open tomorrow, Sunday, turns out to have been a mistake. The shops will be closed. This is in authority of Jas. Wilson, of Wilson & Ryan, who ought to know.

FIRST DAY.

The State Fair Opens With the Usual Attendance.

Exhibits About All in Place—Fine Weather—Ball Game, Races and Evening Concert.

The first day of the fair is passing off with a fair attendance, considering the fact that this is the busiest season that has been seen in Oregon for several years.

It is to be greatly regretted that the harvesting and hocking season has been delayed this year just long enough to interfere with the state fair. Had the crops been gathered a couple of weeks sooner the attendance would undoubtedly have been the largest in the decade.

Everyone will have a little money to spend on the fair—after the fair is over. The exhibit this year is on the whole, up to the standard, and in some respects far exceeds it.

As in always the case, the first day of the fair, many exhibits have only been completed today, and some still lack the finishing touches.

The art room, in particular, is late in reaching perfect order. The display of flowers and ornamental plants at the south end of the pavilion is brilliant and extensive.

The pavilion is, as usual, in charge of W. H. Savage, and he is assisted by Mrs. W. T. Bell, Mrs. H. W. Savage and Henry Shoemaker.

One respect in which the exhibition will lay over anything ever seen on these grounds is in the speed program. While it is not positively known that many records will be smashed, yet the races will be of much greater interest than usual from the greater number of horses contesting, and the element of uncertainty arising from the fact that a great number of these horses are unknown here.

All available racing stalls are occupied, and that part of the ground presents a scene of activity throughout the day from early morning until late at night.

In the stock department the stalls are all full, sheep and goats being particularly well represented.

THIS EVENING.

There will be a concert by Parsons' orchestra in the pavilion, and the Edward Shields Company will give another of their entertainments consisting of li-

lustrated songs, recitations and lectures. These people need no introduction or recommendation. They captured the enthusiastic approval of the visitors to the fair last year. When a crowd of people stand around out of doors in the rain for an hour, as they did last year, waiting for a short entertainment to resume, when interrupted by the rain, it shows that the said entertainment is away above the average.

The program this evening will be: Illustrated story—"A Little Shoe"—Helen Lamar. Illustrated Song—"My Little Georgia Rose"—Charles H. Whiting. Illustrated talk—"A Trip Across the Continent"—Edward Shields.

ENTRIES FOR TODAY'S RACES.

The entries for today's races are in part as follows:
2:18 pace, purse \$400. Wm. Frazier, Portland, Kittias Range, b. g. John Kosterlet, Seattle, Alta Dell, b. m., M. C. Dammeier, Portland, Graie P., b. m., J. M. Church, LaGrande, Estella, ch. m., A. Hackleman, Albany, John A. Crawford, b. s., Fashion Stable, Vancouver, B. C., Barnacle, ch. s., M. S. Kore, Vancouver, B. C., Carrie S., b. m., Chris. Simpson, Pendleton, Alta Norte, Jr. m., A. W. Turner, Davenport, Wn., Little Billy, T. D. Condon, Portland, Anna J.

2:35 trot, purse \$300.—L. Zimmerman, Portland, McBriar, b. g.; Frank Schrader, Portland, Add Ham, by Adronadack; W. G. Eaton, Portland, Road Boy, b. g.; G. A. Kellip, Dayton, Wn., Anzella, b. m.; F. P. Norton, Marshfield, Phil N., b. g.; by Bommer N. B.; Lewis Child, Spokane, Greyling, g. g.; "Tickets," "Lyla," "Juniper," "Mark Hanna," "Doc. Bunnell," and "Oreta," have been scratched for this race after entry.

THE BALL GAME.
The baseball game between the Chemawaw and the Woodburn team was a little late in starting but was hotly contested, resulting in a score of 18 to 11 in favor of Woodburn. The line up was as follows:

Woodburn	Position	Chemawaw
Nathan	catcher	Teabo
Parish	pitcher	Graham
Cooley	s. s.	LaFlambe
Prevost	1st b.	Young
Fay	2d b.	Bensall
Lavie	3d b.	Ragan
Seguin	r. f.	Seafus
Parish	c. f.	Sanders
Moshberger	l. f.	David

There will be another game between these two nines on Monday, and Tuesday the Foresters and Red Men will play the final game of the series.

BALLOON ASCENSION.
The balloon part of the program will fail to materialize, as the aeronaut and isothermopharmist took passage on the morning boat for Portland, having failed to make satisfactory arrangements with the managers of the fair.

They will be no horse racing on Sunday. Otherwise everything will run as on weekdays, and the Shields company and Parson's orchestra will give an entertainment and concert at the pavilion in the evening.

GIRL WANTED.
To wait on Table at Flagg's restaurant, State Fair Grounds. \$1.00 to \$1.50 per day. Apply at restaurant.

OYSTERS.
The only place in the city where oysters are served fresh from the shell, cooked in any style, is at Strung's restaurant.

Kill Two Birds With One Stone.
While taking a holiday to attend the "Fair" use a part of the time to visit Hobson's dry goods store. The proprietor and clerk will be glad to see you, they enjoy showing the fine goods. The weather will soon be cool, select a new cape or jacket for your wife and daughter.

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GETTING WARMER

Transvaal Situation Graver

Orange Free State Will Help Boers

There Will Be War Unless England Backs Down

By Associated Press to the Journal.

CAPE TOWN, Sept. 16.—Further telegrams from Pretoria today confirm the forecast of the reply of the Transvaal to Great Britain, which does not accept the demands of the British government as a whole. Great excitement prevails at Pretoria over the consequences which may ensue. Young Boers are asking to be led into the field immediately.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—Indications from all sources point to the extreme gravity of the Transvaal situation. Pretoria advises emanating from a Boer source say that the Transvaal reply is uncompromising and the preparation for a staunch resistance is proceeding continuously. Another Pretoria special dated September 15 says that the situation is now regarded as all but hopeless, unless Great Britain retreats from her position. It is now definitely stated that the Orange Free State has agreed to unite with the Transvaal in resisting the British claims. Of all the numerous channels through which the South African news reaches London, not one gives the faintest hope that the Boer reply will be favorable, the majority taking the view that war is extremely probable.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—The first battalion

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FIRE AT LINCOLN.

Loss Will Amount to Half a Million. Public Library Burned.
LINCOLN, NEB., Sept. 16.—A fire which broke out early this morning has caused a loss of half a million dollars. It started in the North block, occupied entirely by printing firms, and spread rapidly, and consumed the North block, the Masonic Temple, St. Paul's Methodist church, and some smaller buildings. The city public library of 10,000 volumes was burned.

Notice

Steamer Panama will leave for Portland Sunday at 9 a. m.

Miss Shirley as Doris Vance.

Miss Shirley and her splendid company open at "Reed's Opera House" Monday night. The play is one of human interest and is sure to please all who attend. During the engagement Miss Shirley will be seen in many new plays, all of which in other cities have proven drawing cards, and will please her many warm friends in the Capital City. At noon each day the band will give a concert and uniformed drill. There has already been a large advance sale.

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